

## Message Text

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, NL

SUBJ: CENTURION TANKS

REF: THE HAGUE 843

EMBASSY SHOULD PROCEED TO RAISE THE MATTER WITH THE GON  
ALONG LINES OUR 28970, ADDING ASSURANCE PROPOSED IN YOUR  
PARA 3. RUSH

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## Message Attributes

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